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MOTION BY SUPERVISOR ZEV YAROSLAVSKY

May 8, 2007

For more than 40 Years, the month of May has been proclaimed as Older Americans Recognition Month throughout Los Angeles County. Our seniors have contributed greatly to the success of our County's programs and services, this very special and valuable group of Americans should continue to officially be recognized; this year will be celebrated with the national theme: Older Americans: Making Choices for a Healthier Future.

**I, THEREFORE, MOVE** that the Board of Supervisors proclaim May 2007 as "Older Americans Recognition Month" and May 16, and 30, 2007, as "Older Americans Recognition Day" throughout Los Angeles County;

1. The Community and Senior Services coordinate with the appropriate County departments and the Los Angeles County Commission on Aging (LACCOA) the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Older Americans Recognition Day Awards Program and Reception, to be held on May 16, 2007 at the Hall of Administration Board Hearing Room and the reception on the 8<sup>th</sup> Floor Patio and May 30, 2007, at the Board Hearing Room and the reception at the Hall of Administration Mall area;

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2. Waive parking fees in the amount of \$8,000.00, excluding the cost of liability insurance, for approximately 100 cars on May 16, 2007 and 400 cars on May 30, 2007 at the Music Center garage, Lot 14, for attendees of this event. Please direct any correspondence to:

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“OLDER AMERICANS RECOGNITION MONTH”  
May 2007

**WHEREAS**, for the past forty one years the month of May has been proclaimed Older Americans Month; and

**WHEREAS**, the national theme for this year's program is “Older Americans: Making Choices for a Healthier Future”; and

WHEREAS, our older residents reinvest their resources in their communities through sharing their wisdom, talents and time with others; and

**WHEREAS**, these older volunteers work with our youth, assist with the homeless, support food pantries, visit shut-ins, advocate on behalf of nursing home patients, deliver and serve meals to the elderly, provide transportation to the frail and work in community hospitals; and

**WHEREAS**, through these activities and others, our older population continues to demonstrate the commitment to enhancing the quality of life for us all;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles that the month of May is declared Older Americans Month, and Wednesday, May 16 and 30, 2007 is designated Older Americans Recognition Day and all residents are urged to participate in appropriate ceremonies honoring these men and women.